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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a CONTINUATION application of PCT/IE99/00069 filed on July 21, 1999 of **Ivan SANTAR, Frantisek KISS and Jiri BRIESTENSKY** for **SLOW RELEASE FORMULATIONS COMPRISING ANIONIC POLYSACCHARIDE**. The application comprises a 49-page specification, including 26 claims (1 independent) and Abstract, and 0 sheets of drawings and a Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 sheets in total).

Accompanying the application for filing is:

Small Entity Declaration under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.19 and 1.27 (2 sheets in total);

Assignment document, cover letter and \$40.00 fee for recordation of Assignment.

A certified copy of **Irish** Application No. **S980594**, filed **July 21, 1998**, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A certified copy of **Irish** Application No. **S980595**, filed **July 21, 1998**, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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Check No. 51251, in the amount of \$449.00 is enclosed to cover the Filing Fee and fee for recordation of Assignment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees set forth in §§1.16 or 1.17 during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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